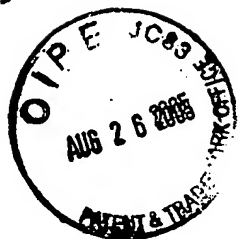


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August 26, 2005

RESPONSE

Sir:


In the Office Action mailed on August 9, 2005, claims 2, 3, 5, 6, 10-28 and 30 were objected to in the Office Action Summary. On page 5 of the Action, it was held that claim 2 with the above amending suggestions and claims 3-30 that depend from claim 2 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but were indicated allowable if rewritten in independent form.

However, claims 5, 6 and 23-28, which depend from claim 1 and were indicated allowable in the Office Action Summary, were not mentioned in the detailed Action. Please clarify if claims 5, 6 and 23-28 depending from claim 1 are allowable over the cited references.

Please review the claims and issue new Action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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